

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
	:	Examiner: Eric A. Rust
TAKAO IKUNO, ET AL.	)	
	:	Art Unit: 2625
Application No.: 10/598,513	)	
	:	Confirmation No.: 6679
Filed: September 1, 2006	)	
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For: IMAGE PROCESSING APPARATUS,	)	
METHOD AND PROGRAM	:	July 22, 2010

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 22, 2010, the Examiner is respectfully requested to:

- amend the claims as shown in the listing starting on page 2;
- consider the remarks presented starting on page 9